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MESSAGE:

Enclosed is an Amendment in response of the First Office Action, along with a petition for a three-month extension of time. Please confirm receipt by facsimile at your earliest convenience. Thank you.

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TITLE : PLUG-IN CONNECTOR

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT
Honorable Commissioner of Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the First Office Action dated September 22, 2004, with the time period being extended three months or until March 22, 2005. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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